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Marion, Ill., Dec. 9.—The jury to try five men charged with murder in connection with the Herrin mine killings was completed with the selection of four men.

Eight jurors had been accepted previously, and the defense tendered a panel of four which was acceptable to the state. The average age of the jurors is 44 years.

The jury is composed of 11 farmers, two of whom formerly were coal miners, and one miner. The jurors just accepted were E. S. Webb, Charles McInturff, Nathan Iendland and Avery Greer, all farmers. Jurors previously accepted: Oscar Swanner, James Weaver, Henry Riddle, George Cox, W. H. Davidson, Sam Watkins, Hiram McMillan and George H. Craig.

Cox is the miner on the jury and Riddle and Watkins are the former miners. Cox was accepted by the state when he said he could render an impartial verdict.

Arguments of attorneys as to when opening statements would begin were heard. Indications are that Judge Hartwell will set the day as next Wednesday.

HERRICK CONSIDERING OFFERS, MAY RESIGN

Columbus, Dec. 9.—Leon C. Herrick, state director of highways, may retire from office when the administration of Governor Davis ends, the first of the year. Mr. Herrick admitted that he has in mind resigning, but has not definitely decided. Several attractive offers have been made Mr. Herrick recently, and he is considering them at this time.

In the event Mr. Herrick does not resign, his term will continue until August, 1923. It is not indicated whether he contemplates resigning in time to permit Governor Davis to appoint a Republican successor for the remainder of his term, or whether Governor-elect A. V. Donahay will be permitted to name a Democrat at once.

REFUSES TO RESIGN

Elyria, O., Dec. 9.—Postmaster D. W. Seward, Democrat, ousted yesterday, refused to turn the Elyria post office over to J. W. McHenry, Republican, named "acting postmaster" in Washington orders. Seward has demanded an official checking up of his accounts before he relinquishes the office.

GREATER OPTIMISM FOR SUCCESS OF NEAR EAST CONFERENCE FELT

Concession By Both Turks and Russians Regarding the Straits Question May Pave Way For Final Settlement

Lausanne, Dec. 9.—Concessions by both Turks and Russians regarding the Turkish straits led to greater optimism in the Near East peace conference today than at any other time since the opening session. Private conferences are under way and it is expected that the commission of Turkish straits and its sub-committee will soon be in a position to draft this clause of the new treaty.

It was reported in Turkish quarters that the conference would adjourn December 22 until January 18. British delegates informed the International News Service that it was not proposed to put the demilitarized zones of the Turkish straits under control of an international police force. They said these zones probably would be supervised by Turkish gendarmes.

The vital question of "guarantees" to make effective the future neutralization of the Dardanelles and Bosporus is now being threshed out by Commissions of naval and military experts. It was pointed out that these "guarantees" might be of such a nature as to make the straits a perpetual "detonator" for European wars. "The chief problem of the delegates now is to ascertain what governments would go to war to preserve the pledges that the straits, in the future, shall be a free waterway."

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Stay of Execution of One Year Seems Certain at Present

CONGRESS IS BUSY

See Chance of Extra Session With Administration Program.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The sentence of death has been passed on the Railroad Labor Board, but it appeared certain today there will be a stay of execution for at least a year.

Republican leaders of all shades of opinion in Congress today agreed with President Harding that the storm-tossed board, as at present constituted has outlived its usefulness.

A careful survey of the existing situation in Congress disclosed to administration leaders that there is but slight hope of carrying out between now and March 4 more than a small part of the for reaching recommendations made by President Harding in his message.

The House, under pressure could accomplish the major part of President Harding's program but it would avail nothing because of the log jam in the senate. Next week the Senate becomes embroiled in a fight over the Harding Lasker ship subsidy bill. The result is in doubt, with a few wavering votes holding the fate of the bill. But the fighting is certain to be prolonged and bitter. Senate leaders privately expressed the opinion today that if the Senate could be whipped into passing the ship subsidy bill and the ten big supply bills in the few working weeks that remain before March 4, they would be well satisfied.

If the president's program is to be carried out, therefore it would apparently necessitate an extra session of the new 68th Congress, with its reduced Republican majorities, immediately after the expiration of the 67th on March 4.

President Harding is not in favor of an extra session next summer. He has expressed himself emphatically on this point saying he believed the country was tired of Congress and was deserving of a good long rest.

Nevertheless, the president's message will be made the vehicle for a new drive for an extra session. Sen. LaFollette, Republican, Wisconsin and his so called "progressive lieutenants" from the grain belt, will conduct the drive. They will insist, they said today, that the urgent need for action in the railroad and agricultural situations necessitate an extra session and they will quote from the president's message to back up their arguments.

It may be possible, administration leaders said today, to carry out in the next ten weeks portions of the president's program dealing with agricultural relief, through extension of farm credits, and also the constitutional amendment prohibiting child labor. The opposition to these parts of his program is significant.

No attempt, however, probably will be made to open up the railroad situation, Senator Cummins, Republican of Iowa, author of the transportation act said today he would introduce no legislation in the present session to abolish the labor board.

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It was reported in Turkish quarters that the conference would adjourn December 22 until January 18.

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In the Rubicons' lineup will be found some of the basketball stars of this section including players of the calibre of Whelan, Bonadio, Smith, Deman and Doyle. The Rubicons would like to hear from the Xenia Yanks or any other first class team in Xenia. Write Meyers at the above address.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Ackley are the parents of a seven and one half pound daughter, born Thursday. The little one has been named Helen Louise.

GRANDCHILD HAD CROUPY COUGH

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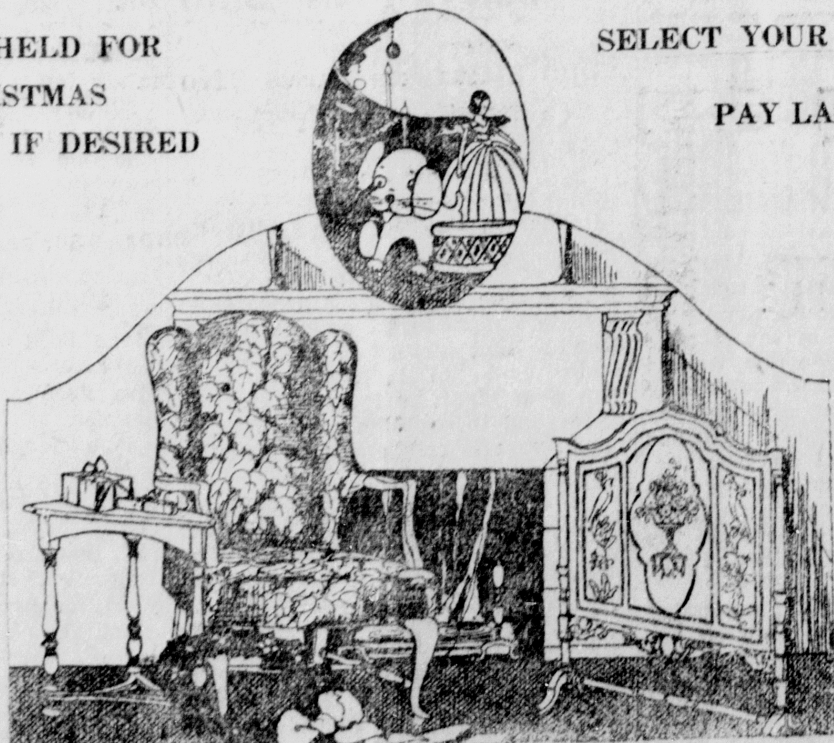
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Following the dinner the guests were entertained with a guessing contest, the prizes being won by Mrs. E. R. Bryant, and Mr. Graham Bryson. Thirteen guests enjoyed the affair.

STARS TO BE FOUND IN BASKETBALL LINEUP

Basketball teams wishing to book a first class attraction, may get in touch with L. J. Meyer, at 416 Hughes street, Dayton, who is managing the Rubicons this year.

In the Rubicons' lineup will be found some of the basketball stars of this section including players of the calibre of Whelan, Bonadio, Smith, Doman and Doyle. The Rubicons would like to hear from the Xenia Yanks or any other first class team in Xenia. Write Meyers at the above address.

UNITED IN MARRIAGE AT PARSONAGE THURSDAY

The Rev. G. A. Scott, pastor of the First M. E. Church, officiated at the marriage of Mr. Henry Toms and Mrs. Euphemia Luverna Dill, both of this city, which was solemnized at the parsonage, Thursday evening at eight o'clock.

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ENTERTAINS AT DAYTON WITH PARTY

Mrs. Russell Campbell, of West Second Street, entertained the members of the Dayton Vesperia Club, of which she is a member, at a five hundred party at Rike's Dayton, Thursday afternoon. After the game the guests enjoyed a two-course luncheon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oster of Yellow Springs, spent Friday in Springfield.

Miss Lois Elder of Selma, is the week end guest of Miss Mildred Negus of East Second Street.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Ackley are the parents of a seven and one half pound daughter, born Thursday. The little one has been named Helen Louise.

GRANDCHILD HAD CROUPY COUGH

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Little Jack Horner
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And said what a good boy am I.



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Into
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Christmas Stockings

SURELY you want to make some little Jack Horner's Christmas jollier by remembering him with a gift. Little boys from two to six years old we mean. Of course you're interested in one. If not in your own home, maybe he is a cousin or a neighbor's child or nobody's child, in which case he will love you more than ever. To help you with this gift problem we have listed gifts which are plums just as sure as Jack pulled one out of the pie. When the boy opens the package he will probably say "It's a peach," but you'll understand.

Brushed Wool Sets	Tin Soldiers
Leather Mittens	Trains and Tracks
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Serge Sailor Suits	Kiddie Kars
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Bring the little children under six to Toyland in the morning and avoid the afternoon crowd when the school children are here.

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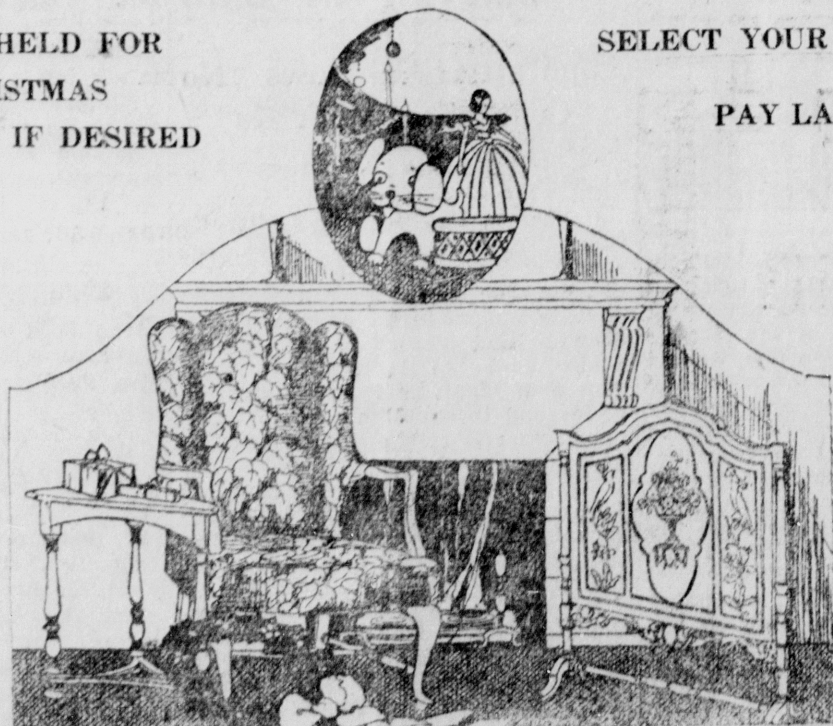
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Silk boot hose, black, cordovan, field mouse \$1.25
Exquisite all silk black lace hose in beautiful designs \$3.00

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Silk and wool hose, adobe, sponge, navy and black. Priced \$2.25
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Sport ribbed hose, black, cordovan and tan mixture. Priced \$1.00
Sport ribbed hose, tan, cordovan, solid colors. Priced 75c

CHILDREN'S HOSE

Wool and cotton, sport, cuff top, black and silver. Priced 75c
Ribbon stripe sport hose, cuff top, cordovan and gold. Priced 50c
Pony hose, girls and boys, black, cordovan and white. Priced 45c and 50c

It Is Always Wise To Choose SMART GLOVES AS GIFTS

Kayser's Scotch Knit Woolen Gauntlet gloves, heather or Oxford mixtures or white. Misses sizes \$1.00
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Fownes' kid gloves, strap wrist. Priced \$3.50
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We have just received a fine line of warm, pretty gloves and mittens for children. They come in all sizes. Kayser Knit wool gloves, pretty designs, navy and brown. Priced 50c
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Hudnuts Three Flowers toilet water in gift box \$1.50
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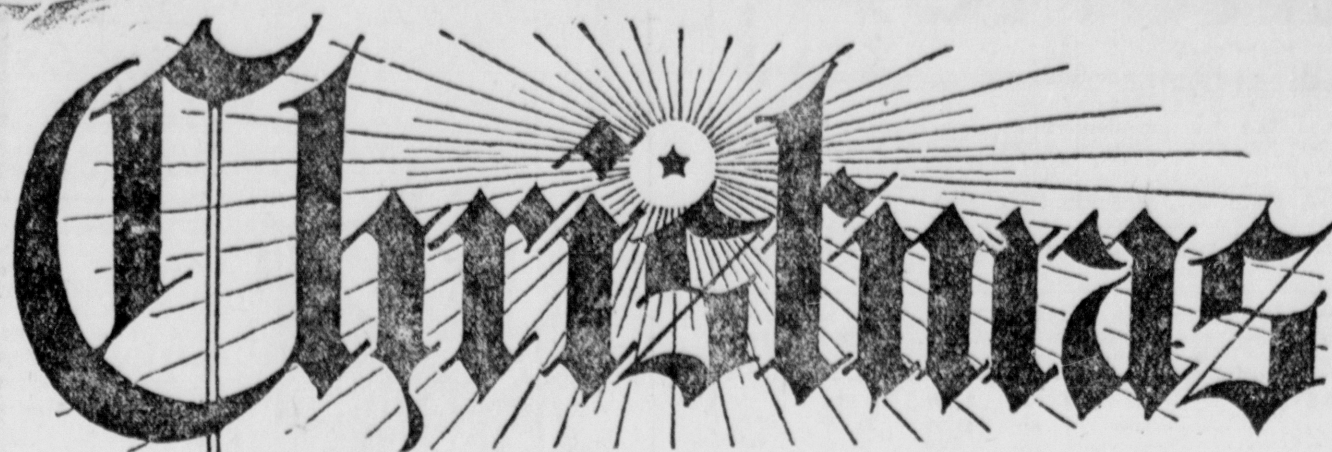
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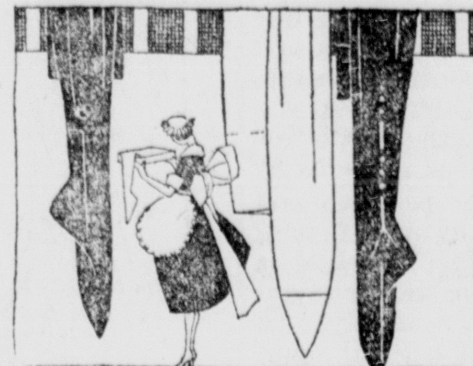
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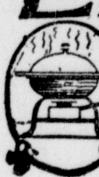


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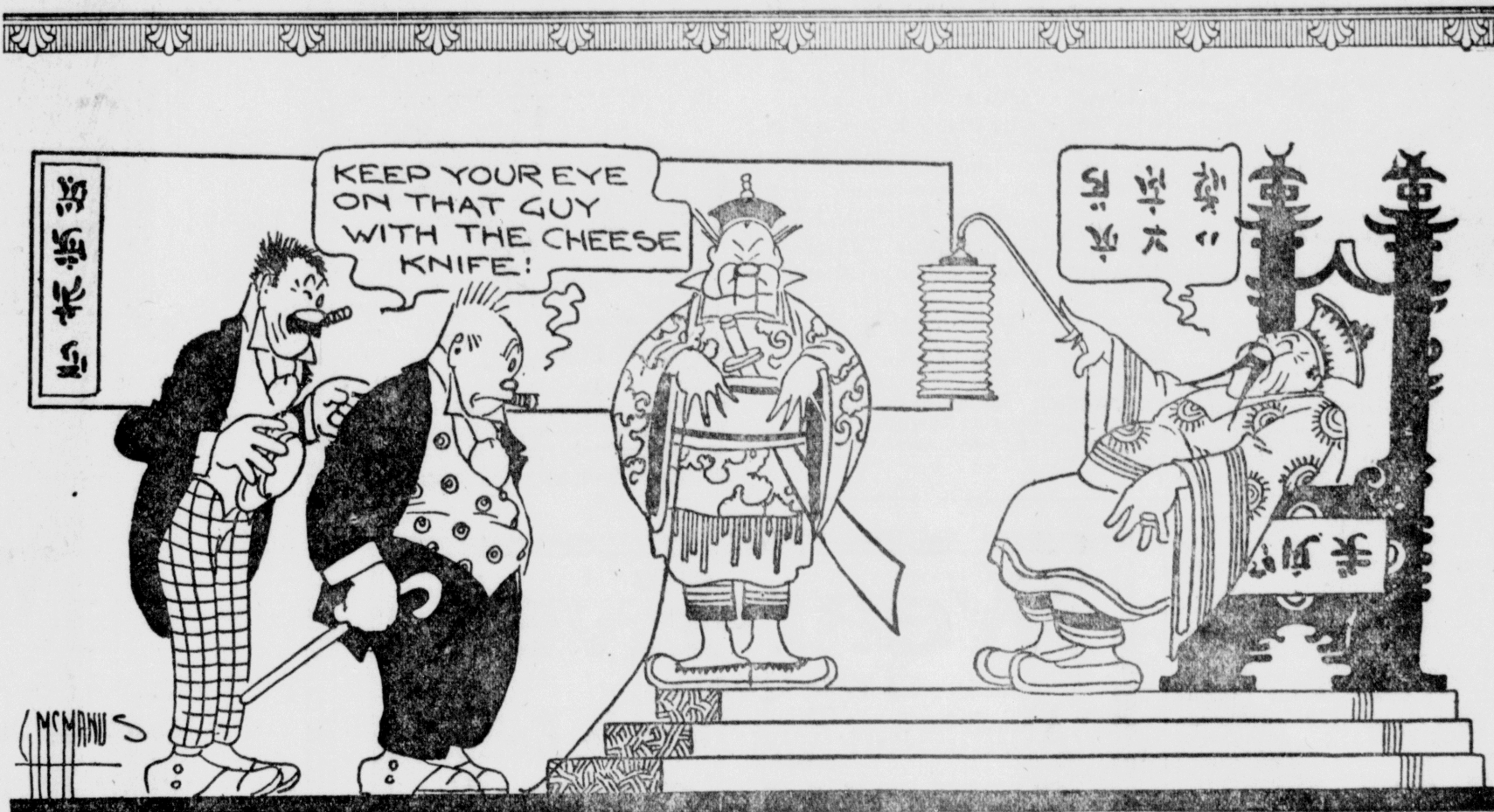
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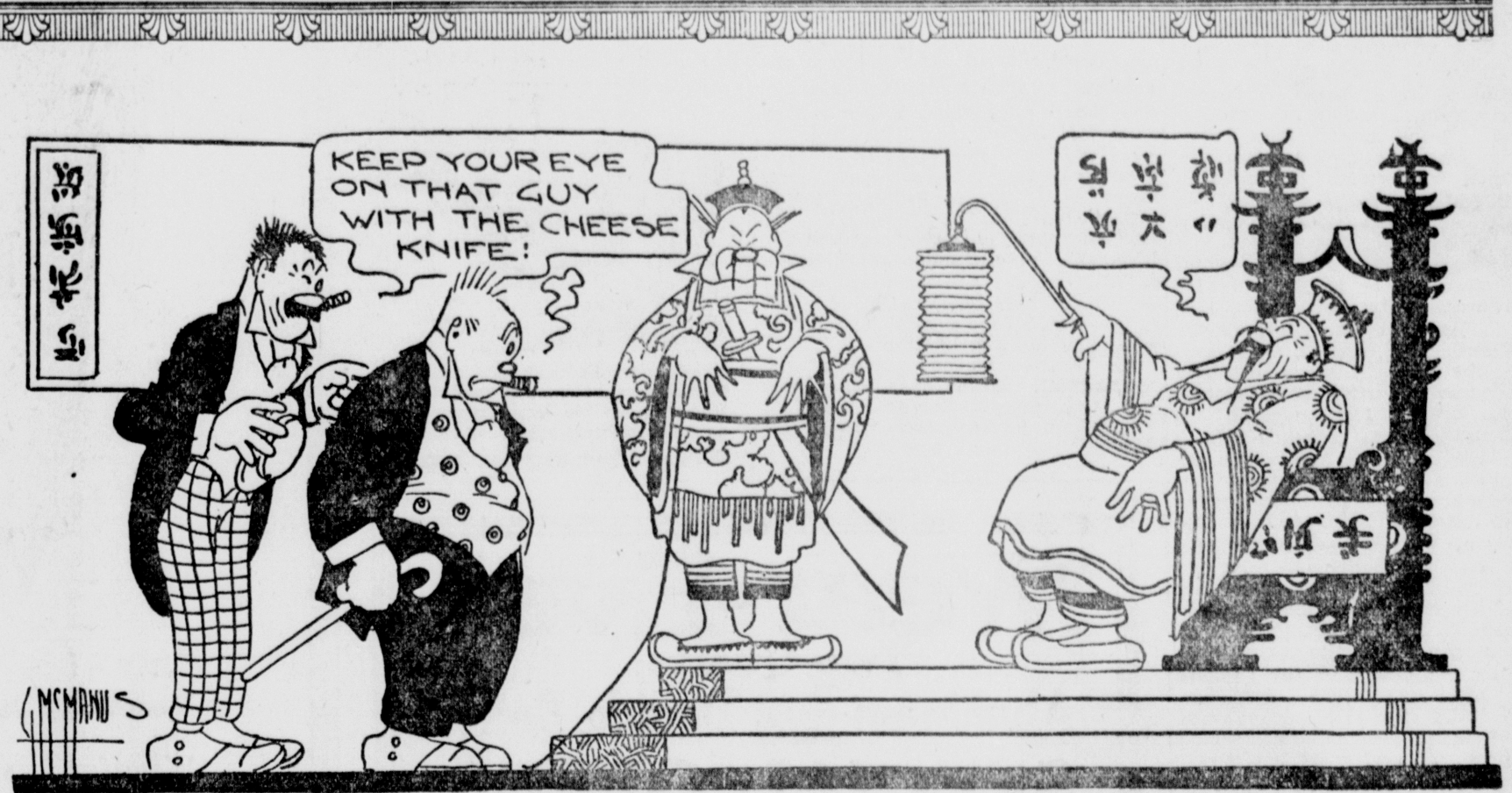
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E. R. Andrews was elected president of the Ross Township Farm Bureau, for 1923, at the meeting of the members of that organization at the township Centralized School, Wednesday night. M. K. Ritenour, vice president, and C. R. Reed, secretary were also elected to serve for the coming year with Mr. Andrews.

Committee reports read at the meeting showed a splendid program of work carried on during 1922. Arrangements were made to appoint a committee to outline the program of work for the organization for the coming year.

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Left to right: Bennie Beard, Jefferson Township; George Hare, Beaver Creek Township; Lawrence Brown, Beaver Creek Township and Henry Saylor, Spring Valley Township, alternate.

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An adoption of projects of the Township Farm Bureau which will be carried out during 1923, and to be taken up soon, featured the meeting of the Bath Township Farm Bureau, held Tuesday night.

The new projects which will be introduced in the Farm Bureau work of that township during the coming year will include: Cost accounts on dairy farms, a campaign for the control of parasites in hogs, a project to reduce the loss with baby chicks, soil testing to demonstrate the need of lime in Bath township, and a campaign to increase the acreage of alfalfa.

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GREENE COUNTY GIRLS AND BOYS ATTEND MEET AT STATE UNIVERSITY

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The resignation of John Munger, chairman of the Beaver Creek township Farm Bureau was received at the meeting but action postponed until the January meeting of the organization.

O. E. BRADFUTE TO SPEAK

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The form of the organization of the County Farm Bureau has not been changed since 1921 according to the report, except to add to the Executive Committee three women, who have been interested in Home making projects and club work. There are 116 people in the county, who have acted as project leaders in their communities, during the year, the report states.

"The real needs of the farm and home, shaped in projects that the Farm Bureau could work on in an organized way was the determining factor in outlining our program for 1922," states Mr. Prince in his report. "The crops were considered in the order of their importance along with the home, and the boys and girls, and the program committee of each community voiced their opinions to what line of improvement the Farm Bureau should undertake with them."

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The leaders of the special projects in the county for the past year will give their report following luncheon. The following reports will be heard at one o'clock: Boys' and Girls' Clubs, Ray Garlinger; Poultry Club, Helen Finney and Wilma Batdorf; Food Club, Glennis Lambert and Alice Lindamoon; Clothing Club, Minnie Hardman; Pig Club, Carl Bailey and Alan Pierce; Calf Club, F. B. Turnbull and Cornelius Grinnell; Stock Judging, Bennie Beard; Clothing Construction, Mrs. N. J. Kuriger; Dairy Association, A. F. Hedges; Poultry Association, Clyde Northup; Livestock, Albert Ankeney; Soils and Crops, Meryl Stormont; Livestock Shipping, W. H. Smith; Breed Associations, C. W. Mett; For Next Year, W. M. Hardman.

The day's program will close with an address by F. L. Shoenberger, Columbus, and the annual election of officers.

E. R. ANDREWS ELECTED BY ROSS TOWNSHIP

E. R. Andrews was elected president of the Ross Township Farm Bureau, for 1923, at the meeting of the members of that organization at the township Centralized School, Wednesday night. M. K. Ritenour, vice president, and C. R. Reed, secretary were also elected to serve for the coming year with Mr. Andrews.

Committee reports read at the meeting showed a splendid program of work carried on during 1922. Arrangements were made to appoint a committee to outline the program of work for the organization for the coming year.

THESE BOYS WIN HONORS FOR OHIO



Left to right: Bennie Beard, Jefferson Township; George Hare, Beavercreek Township; Lawrence Brown, Beavercreek Township and Henry Saylor, Spring Valley Township, alternate.

The team won first place in the team judging contest at the Ohio State Fair, working in competition

with teams from 12 other counties in the state.

At the International Stock Judging Show at Chicago, December 1, the team was given a fifth place in the United States.

In the individual contests, Bennie Beard, 14, Jefferson Township, won fourth highest honors.

NEW PROJECTS WILL BE FEATURED IN WORK OF BATH TOWNSHIP BUREAU

An adoption of projects of the Township Farm Bureau which will be carried out during 1923, and to be taken up soon, featured the meeting of the Bath Township Farm Bureau, held Tuesday night.

The new projects which will be introduced in the Farm Bureau work of that township during the coming year will include: Cost accounts on dairy farms, a campaign for the control of parasites in hogs, a project to reduce the loss with baby chicks, soil testing to demonstrate the need of lime in Bath township, and a campaign to increase the acreage of alfalfa.

The Boys' and Girls' Club work will feature as new projects a clothing club for girls, and a pig club for boys.

The projects of the Farm Bureau which will be renewed with the new year will be testing seed corn for disease, dairy and livestock marketing, clothing construction for farm women, and the enrollment of members in the Better Sires campaign. The committees in charge of the various projects will be composed of J. W. Barr, Delmer Harner, J. N. Spriggs, L. D. Hower, Joseph Harner, Howard Batdorf, Mrs. N. J. Kuriger, Mrs. Effie Harner, F. B. Neff and Geo. Harner. Two leaders have not as yet been selected.

TOWNSHIP MEETINGS SCHEDULED IN COUNTY

Reports from the various committees and a talk by W. B. Bryson, president of the Greene County Farm Bureau, were features of the meeting of the Sugar Creek Township Farm Bureau, held at Belbrook, Thursday night.

A meeting of the township farm bureau will be held at Yellow Springs, next Tuesday night. Caesar Creek Township will stage its regular meeting Wednesday night.

GREENE COUNTY GIRLS AND BOYS ATTEND MEET AT STATE UNIVERSITY

The boys and girls, who won high honors at the Greene County Fair, in club work, in August, represented Greene County during Club Winners' Week, at Columbus, this week. The boys and girls left Xenia, Monday morning, and returned Saturday, December 3, after having been the guests of the Ohio State University during the week.

The expenses of the trip were paid from premium money donated by the Greene County Fair Board, and the Greene County Farm Bureau.

The boys and girls who made the trip were: Wilma Batdorf, and Helen Finney, Poultry Clubs; Mary Ater and Glennis Lampert, Food Clubs; Helen Fogg, Clothing Club; and Carl Bailey and Alan Pierce, Pig Clubs.

RATES OF EXCHANGE BLAMED FOR TROUBLE

"The main trouble with the agricultural problem today is the difference in the rates of foreign exchange," declared C. K. Wolf, before the members of the Beavercreek Township Farm Bureau at the meeting held at the township high school, Monday night. "The variation in the rates today prevent the people of Europe buying food produce of the American farmer." Until these discrepancies in the foreign exchange rates are ironed out, Mr. Wolf sees little hope in the future of getting better farm prices. He outlined how he thought the matter could be remedied soon, to the farmer.

The resignation of John Munger, chairman of the Beavercreek township Farm Bureau was received at the meeting but action postponed until the January meeting of the organization.

O. E. BRADFUTE TO SPEAK

O. E. Bradfute, Xenia, President of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, will be the chief speaker at the annual meeting of the Clinton County Farm Bureau, December 20.

Varied Activities Hold Forth In Twelve Months

A narrative report of the Extension work of Greene County, from December 1, 1921, to November 30, 1922, has been prepared by Ford S. Prince, County Agricultural Agent.

The report gives the status of the County Extension Organization, including the form of organization, function of local people, committees or project leaders in developing programs of work, and the general policies. The program of work of the organization, the methods employed and the results achieved, is outlined to include the factors considered in determining the program of work, project activities, and results in the development of

the county extension committees during the year, in soil improvement, in crop production, in livestock production, farm economics, marketing, farm home betterment, boys' and girls' clubs, and other project activities.

The report also explains the character and scope of the office and field service, analysis and interpretation of tabular summaries, and the outlook and recommendation.

The form of the organization of the County Farm Bureau has not been changed since 1921 according to the report, except to add to the Executive Committee three women, who have been interested in Home making projects and club work. There are 116 people in the county, who have acted as project leaders in their communities, during the year, the report states.

"The real needs of the farm and home, shaped in projects that the Farm Bureau could work on in an organized way was the determining factor in outlining our program for 1922," states Mr. Prince in his report. "The crops were considered in the order of their importance along with the home, and the boys and girls, and the program committee of each community voiced their opinions to what line of improvement the Farm Bureau should undertake with them.

The establishment of seven line demonstrations in Greene County is the outstanding feature of the soils work, this year, as shown by the report. The thiocyanate test for soil acidity has been introduced into the county, and hereafter will be used in the field testing work as it is just as accurate and more rapid and much more adaptable to field conditions. Soils on 55 farms have been tested during the year.

The report gives figures on the fertilizer schools held during the year, in plowing under rye in preparation for potatoes, in crop production, livestock production, farm economics, marketing, farm home betterment, boys' and girls' clubs, and other project activities.

In speaking of the marketing project Mr. Prince states that the six local cream marketing stations organized in the county, in co-operation with the Miami Valley Milk Producers' Association, are handling at present 26,000 pounds of butter fat each month, netting the farmer patrons about 4 per cent per pound, or \$1,000 per month. The sale of milk has not yet started in the territory, although Greene County is ready for it with approximately 75 per cent of the dairy products of the county on contract.

Since April 1, there have been 562 men use the Greene County Livestock Shipping Company, shipping 13,180 hogs, 201 calves, 1,692 sheep, a total of 2,657,000 pounds, netting the farmers \$274,464.79. The cost per hundred has been 65 cents with a shrinkage of 2.2 pounds per hundred on hogs. This livestock has all gone to Pittsburgh. Farmers again pooled their wool and shipped to the Ohio Wool Warehouse in Columbus. The amount pooled this year will reach about 20,000 pounds. Twenty-six thousand pounds of twine and 120 tons of high grade fertilizer have been bought through the Farm Bureau this year, according to the report.

GRANGE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS AT MEETING HELD DURING WEEK

Greene County Pomona Grange held a called meeting, Wednesday night December 6, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year.

The following officers were elected, Master, Mrs. Snook, of Fairfield Valley Grange; Overseer, Elmer Smith, of Jamestown, Grange; Lecturer, Mrs. Bertha Shawhan of Beavercreek Grange; Steward, Ersle Hutchison, of Xenia Grange; Assistant Steward, Roy Short, of Xenia Grange; Chaplain, Mrs. Hattie Short, of Xenia Grange; Treasurer, F. M. Burrell, of Xenia Grange; Secretary, Mrs. Keech, of Jamestown Grange; Gate Keeper, Mrs. Bigler, of Charity Grange; Ceres, Grace Lyle, of Xenia Grange; Pomona Mary Jones, of Caesar Creek Grange; Flora, Mrs. Edna Kuriger, of Fairfield Valley Grange; Lady Assistant Steward, Edna Burrell, of Xenia Grange; Musical Director, Mrs. Ray Fudge, of Xenia Grange.

The program of the meeting included a talk by Superintendent of County Schools, H. C. Aultman, who spoke of the tax limitation, and its effect on the schools. Mrs. J. Carl Marshall, addressed the audience on the sale of Christmas Seals and the handling of the proceeds.

WILL NOT BE BOTHERED BY HESSIAN FLY HERE

Farmers, who waited to sow wheat last fall until the safe-sowing dates announced by the College of Agriculture and State Experiment Station will not be bothered by the Hessian fly, the most destructive of all wheat insects, next year.

Continuing, T. H. Parks, extension entomologist at the Ohio State University, states that since most farmers in Ohio waited for those dates, the fly will not be bad over the state as a whole next year. He finds prospect of less than a 5 per cent average infestation, as compared to an average infestation of 17 per cent in the summer of 1920. This decrease, he adds, has been brought about entirely through the co-operation of Ohio farmers in withholding fall sowings until the fall brood of the fly was safely out of the way.

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LATEST NEWS PICTURES AND FEATURES

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THIS is Lady Diana Cooper, the English beauty with whom the Spanish Duke of Luzerraga was so deeply smitten that the government asked him to quit the British Isles. Lady Diana complained that he persisted in sending her unwelcome love notes. She is daughter of the Duke of Rutland.

Wilson 9 Years Ago and Now

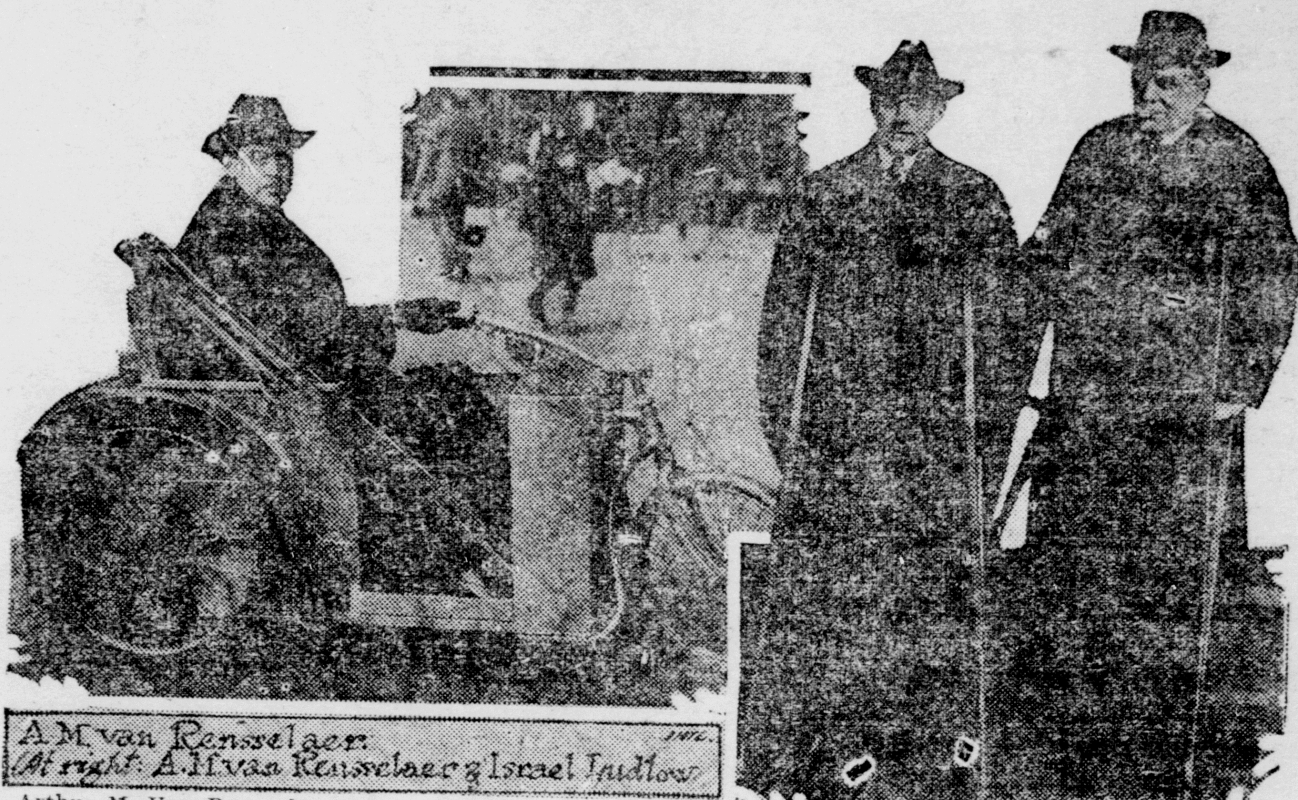


THE larger of the above pictures of Woodrow Wilson was taken lately as the ex-president stood on the porch of his Washington home. The smaller one was snapped during his first cabinet meeting in 1913.



Miss Katherine Force.

Some time ago, Miss Force's engagement to Henri Harnickell, of New York, was announced but it is now reported to have been broken.



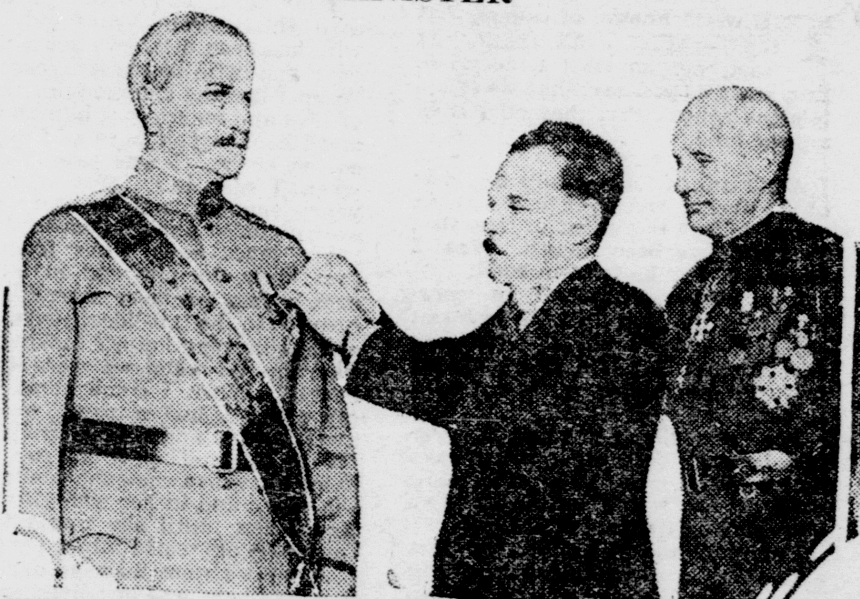
A. M. van Rensselaer
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Arthur M. Van Rensselaer, millionaire member of one of New York's pioneer families, who was crippled on the Mexican border while serving as an officer in New York's "Dandy Seventh" in

1916, has demonstrated his motor-propelled vehicle at the institute for Crippled and Disabled. The machine is thirty-two inches wide and seventy inches long, operated entirely by hand control, with a

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PERSHING DECORATED BY NEW POLISH MINISTER



Poland decorates General Pershing. *INTL.*

The new Polish Minister to America, Dr. Ladislaw Wroblewski, is shown decorating General John J. Pershing with the Virtuti Militari and Polonia Res-

tutia, highest military and civil decorations of Poland, Major-General James G. Harbord, Deputy Chief of Staff, is watching the proceedings.

U. S. Army Has Swimming Tank

Amphibious Tank. *INTL.*



High army officials witnessed the trial of the Government-owned swimming tank invented by Walter Christie, famous old-time auto racer. The tank, which carries a six-pounder and three machine guns, climbs hills at an angle of 45 degrees, and when it comes to a stream it plunges in and goes across like a boat. It crossed the Hudson River, near New York, at 20 miles an hour and climbed hills at 30 miles an hour. On paved roads it runs on wheels; on hills it uses caterpillar tractors; in the water it is moved by propellers.

Right in Style In Spreewald



THIS is a bride, of the Spreewald, Germany, dressed for the marriage ceremony. Her gown, and all accessories, are right in style—for the Spreewald. Fashions don't change often there, however. The same thing has been strictly up to date for a good many generations.



MILLE. CECILE SOREL, the actress, has the reputation of being the best-dressed woman in France—only just now she's visiting in the United States. When ex-Premier Clemenceau, another visitor in America, happened to meet her in her New York hotel, the actress promptly kissed him. "For such a reception," said the Tiger, "I'd come here every day."



LOS ANGELES recently undertook a vigorous campaign against automobile mashers—gashawks. The trouble was to get young women who had been accosted by these offenders to appear against them. Miss Gloria Goodwin, shown here, undertook this work. The result is that the gashawk is pretty nearly extinct in that municipality. In one evening she accounted for 19 of them. A policewoman generally accompanied her and arrests were speedy.



When Mrs. Yvonne Willmet, of Los Angeles, Cal., a war bride, confessed to her husband that Paul Peter, a neighbor, had promised her "fine clothes, love and a home of Egyptian splendor," Scott Willmet, decorated hero of the A. E. F., went to Peter's home and firing through a door, shot him down.

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HoyRF.....	C. Dawson
LinnemanC.....	M. Dawson
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BOARD TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of the Executive Board of the Social Service League will be held Monday evening at the City Hall, at 7:30 o'clock.

HUMMELL TO RESIGN

Columbus, Dec. 9.—Edward J. Hummel of Cincinnati announced he would resign as cashier in the secretary of state's office, effective with the change in administration in January. He is a Republican, and is one of the veteran employees in the department, having served under five secretaries of state.

WILL AID LAW

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half, overcoming the lead of the Cincinnati team and attaining a one-point margin. There was practically little individual starring. Ernest and Haken, of Cincinnati played well while Captain Dawson, of Antioch, was considered the most accurate goal shooter on the floor. The lineup and summary:

Cincinnati (24)	Antioch (22)
HilbargerLF.....Vannorsdall	HoyRF.....C. Dawson
LinnemanC.....M. Dawson	ErnestLG.....Edwards
HakenRG.....Kitchen	Substitution: Cincinnati—Hynes for Hilbarger, Hilbarger for Hynes
Valedon for Linneman, Linneman for Valedon; Antioch—Light for C. Dawson, King for Edwards, C. Dawson for Light, Light for Kitchen, Kitchen for Light, Field Goals: Hilbarger 4, Hoy 2, Linneman 3, Ernest 1, Vannorsdall 2, C. Dawson 3, M. Dawson 3; Foul Goals—Haken 4, Vannorsdall 6.	Referee: Kreuck.

BOARD TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of the Executive Board of the Social Service League will be held Monday evening at the City Hall, at 7:30 o'clock.

HUMMELL TO RESIGN

Columbus, Dec. 9.—Edward J. Hummel of Cincinnati announced he would resign as cashier in the secretary of state's office, effective with the change in administration in January. He is a Republican, and is one of the veteran employees in the department, having served under five secretaries of state.

WILL AID LAW

Cincinnati, Dec. 9.—A vigilance committee was formed here to curb reckless auto driving and speeding by a special committee appointed by Charles E. Tudor, safety director.



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Lost and Found 1

LOST Top-off battery box of Nash truck between Cedarville and Xenia. Call Ralph Dean, C. H. phone. 12-9

FOUND Lodge pin 633 N. West St. Bell 567R. 12-9

LOST Fox Terrier dog, white with black spots, long tail. Reward call C. H. Little, either phone. 12-9

LOST White Fox terrier pup, with black and brown face and black spot on back and tip of tail. Information leading to its recovery will be liberally rewarded. Notify Gazette office. 12-9

LOST White female fox bound dog, one tan and one speckled ear, medium size, been lost about four weeks. Has been seen two miles north of New Burlington. Finder notify Geo. Hagler, Xenia, Route 1, Phone Mutual 174 or return to W. M. Lewis, Osborn Route 2. Liberal reward. 12-13

LOST Brown leather handbag in center town. Call 86 Green. 12-9

Wanted to Rent 6

WANTED TO RENT 2, 3 or 4 room furnished flat, must be completely furnished for housekeeping and in good location, close to center of city. Address J. N. care Gazette. 12-9

Wanted to Buy 7

STOCKS, Bonds. We buy them, sell or trade, get our prices for the best market for your securities. Carl E. Bell, Smith, office 33 1/2 E. Main St. Bell 1055 Cit. 925. 12-11

WANT to hear from owner having farm for sale, give particulars and lowest price. John J. Black Ohio St. Chippewa Falls Wis. 10-28-14, 11

Wanted to Trade 8

WANT farm or ranch in exchange for 6 apartments, price \$25,000; 12 apartments \$50,000; 18 apartments \$100,000; 480 apartments \$1,500,000. Furnished hotel going business \$50,000. Act quick, E. Woodell, 29 South La Salle Chicago. 12-9

Professional 9

EDWARD SESSLAR, Auctioneer. See me before advertising your sale, Jamestown, Ohio. Work guaranteed or no pay. Terms 1 per cent. 12-28

Special Notices 10

YOU CAN OBTAIN A CHRISTMAS BASKET FREE. This is our gift to you, contents of the basket:

- Package of Playkruust.....25c
- Package of cake icing cocoanut.....35c
- Package of Jiffy-Kake.....35c
- Package of Jiffy-Kake.....35c
- Jar of Marshmallow creme.....35c
- Package of Home Gilt Grape.....35c
- Large size table Vanilla Food flav.....35c
- Can Baking Powder.....35c

Total.....\$2.95

Authorized representative for Xenia, Ohio, First Frodoxin, Alex Patton, phone 842R, 338 E. Market St. 12-9

LOOK Men's Suits Preserved neatly 50c. Small repairs free. 30 West Main St. up stairs. 12-11

XENIA DRY CLEANING Co., (Peters Bros.) 531 East Main. Bell 167R; Cit. 139-Black. Free delivery all parts city. 12-13

PERSONAL Engraved Christmas Cards. See our sample line. Prices very reasonable. Tiffany Jewelry Store. 12-12

TAMPA Daily Times, Tampa, Florida. Want ad one cent per word, Florida's greatest daily classified medium. Write us for complete rate card. 12-11

Wanted Female Help 16

WANTED Girl compositor and press feeder for general job work. The Buckeye Press, 24 West Main St. 12-11

WANTED Dishwasher at New Manhattan restaurant. 12-11

Wanted Male Help 17

SALESMEN to call on retail stores with trade stimulator, ready seller, large commissions, hustlers earning \$200 weekly. Real Opportunity, 1307 Flatiron Bldg., New York. 12-9

MEN LEARN BARBERING. Clean instruction work that pays. Short course. Write Moler Barber College, 341 W. 5th St., Cincinnati. 12-30

WANTED NEWS boys at once. Apply J. D. Hendrickson, Traction Station. 12-13

Wanted Agents 18

GET INTO A REAL business now open. Sell the genuine J. R. Watkins Products. Everybody knows Watkins Spices, Extracts, Coffee Medicines, Toilet Preparations, etc. Standard for more than 50 years. Biggest line, biggest values and highest quality makes easy selling for you. Write today for free samples and proof that you can make from \$3,000 to \$5,000 a year. J. R. Watkins Co., Dept 83, Columbus, Ohio. 12-9, 16, 23-20

Washing Wanted live in country good work done, clothes clean and white. Call for and deliver. W. care Gazette. 12-9

For Sale Miscellaneous 20

FOR SALE A couch. Call 359-W. 12-11

FOR SALE Poochontar coal. C. O. Miller elevator, Trebleton, Ohio. 11-9R

FOR SALE Hunter's coat and new rifle. Call at 305 W. Market St. 12-9

For Rent Rooms 27

FOR RENT Two light housekeeping rooms with bath. Call Bell 639-W. 12-9

FOR RENT Living room for gentleman. Inquire Gazette office. 12-9

FOR RENT Storage rooms in Gazette building. Inquire at Gazette office. 12-9

For Rent Houses 29

FOR RENT Six room apartment completely modern, either furnished or unfurnished. Rent for \$65 furnished or \$15 unfurnished. Call Bell 341R. Robert G. Collins. 12-12

For Rent Miscellaneous 30

FOR SALE Five room house, good cellar, coal house and barn, 329 Washington St., Mrs. Alice L. Thomas. 12-15

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MONEY TO LOAN--See W. O. Custis and get terms before you borrow money. Very low rates. 12-11

FAIRM 79 acres near Xenia. \$55 acre, \$500 down. John Harbino, Allen Building. 2-29

Money to Loan 37

TOM C. LONG, REAL ESTATE MAN. We sell or buy your farm properties. We will loan you money. See us, No. 19 South Detroit St., Gazette Bldg. Both phones. 5-1 17R.

List Your Property With THE SWISHER REALTY COMPANY. We have the buyers. Represented in Greene Co. by GEO. A. BIRCH, N. King St. Bell Phone 677-W. We loan money for the Federal Land Banks. 12-13

WONDERFUL BARGAINS. Leatherette sport coat gabardine lining for rain or shine \$7.50. C. L. Edwards, Distributor, Jasper ave. 12-14

FOR SALE Single bed with springs, like new and gas range, fair condition. T. H. Zell, 126 Market. 12-9

FOR SALE A new double barrel shot gun call 606 W. Main. Bell 995-W. 12-9

FOR SALE corn sheafers, full line of leathers, rubber and canvas belting. Also Alligator, Clipper and Bristol belt hooks, easy to attach. The Booklet-King Co. 415 W. Main. 12-12

FOR SALE Baled straw. Cit. 2-507. 12-13

TYPEWRITER, Oliver for sale. John Harbino, Allen building. 12-23

PIANO AUCTION SALE. On Wednesday, December 13th at three o'clock p. m. I will offer at public auction, all my storage room in the rear of 20 West Second Street, Xenia, Ohio, one Howard piano. Terms cash. John T. Harbino Jr., Allen building, Xenia, O. 12-2

TOM AND CHIRK SAY that grease is cheaper than machinery. Have your transmission and differential filled and save the car. XENIA AUTO NECESSITY CO. 31 South Detroit St. 12-11

For Sale Automobiles 21

FOR SALE Light Overland, in perfect mechanical condition, new battery, new generator, four new cord tires, two extras with rims, lot of extras, best used car buy in the city. See Clifford, Gazette office. 12-9

FOR SALE Six cylinder Oakland roadster, 1921 condition priced right. Call Bell 341R after 6 p. m. 12-11

For Sale Live Stock 23

FOR SALE Six pigs, wt. over 25 lbs. 1125 East Third St. 12-9

FOR SALE Six shoats, weigh about 40 pounds, 240 eggs incubator. Stewart Coward, Cit. 2 on 820. 12-11

FOR SALE 25 Immured feeding shoats. H. L. Shaw, R. R. 9, Xenia. 12-9

FOR SALE Fresh Jersey cow with heifer calf, D. M. Kyle. 12-12

AUCTIONEER--John L. Webb, back in the game after two years. Call me either phone 802 Springfield, Wallace and Webb, Arcade Bldg. 12-19

FOR SALE Good thrifty weanling pigs, weigh about 15 pounds. Frye, Yellow Springs. 47LR. 12-8

FOR SALE Registered short horn cow and heifer calf. I. O. Peterson, Springfield Valley, Bell phone. 12-9

FOR SALE Choice big type Poland China gilts, bred and open, also young male hog, James H. Hawkins, Bell Phone 741R4, Xenia, R. R. 10. 12-13

FOR SALE One week old Jersey heifer calf, D. W. Painter, Cit. phone. 12-9

FOR SALE White Leghorn hens and barred Rock Pullets. Bell 741R4. James H. Hawkins, Fairground Rd. 12-13

Farm Equipment 24

FOR SALE OR TRADE for Xenia property, 190 acre farm. Bell 345W. 12-9

Poultry and Feed 25

FOR SALE Barred Rock cockerels, Mrs. J. C. St. John, 3-817 Cit. Xenia. 12-6

POULTRY WANTED I pay 1 to 2c more per pound for good poultry than most dealers. Call 164 Cedarville. Bell calls at my expense. Wm. Marshall. 10-10R

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FOR SALE High class canaries and Andreasberg Rollers, from \$6.00 up and fancy cages. Henry Engelking, 229 North West St. 1-8

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PUBLIC SALE, Dec. 14th at noon at my farm 1 1/2 miles S. of Xenia on the New Burlington Pike, 2 horses, 4 milk cows, farm implements, 125 shoats, 700 bu. corn, 200 shoats, 200 chickens, R. R. Grieve, Auctioneer, Tom C. Long, Clerk. WALTER STODOLSKY. 12-9

PUBLIC SALE, Dec. 19, at 12:30 p. m. at my farm at edge of paved street on Upper Bellbrook pike, 3 cows, 4 brood sows, 2 shoats, butchering tools, hog boxes, 8 rooms of household goods. R. R. Grieve, Auctioneer. 12-12

FOR SALE Household Goods 39

STOVES for sale, Saturday afternoons only. John Harbino, Allen bldg. 12-23

PIANO for sale, easy payments. John Harbino, Allen building. 12-23

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, and stoves for sale on Saturday afternoons only. John Harbino, Allen bldg. 12-23

PUBLIC AUCTION of roll top desk, household goods, stoves, etc., 125 Simons road, East Main Street, Saturday, Dec. 9th at 1:00 P. M. 12-8

FOR SALE All kinds of stoves and stove repairs. Andy Pfhol Second Hand Store, 15 West Third St. 1-9

Notice Of Appointment

Estate of James P. Mullen, Deceased. L. J. Marshall has been appointed administrator of the estate of James P. Mullen late of Greene County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 23rd day of November A. D. 1922. J. CARL MARSHALL, Probate Judge of said County.

Notice For Parole

Notice is hereby given that John Jones, No. 46833, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio Penitentiary has been recommended to the Division of Pardons and Paroles by the Warden and Chaplain as legally eligible to a hearing for Parole. Said Application will be for hearing on or after January 1, 1923. D. J. BONZO, Parole and Record Clerk. 12-9, 16, 13

Notice is hereby given that Albert Braun, No. 49961, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio Penitentiary has been recommended to the Division of Pardons and Paroles by the Warden and Chaplain as legally eligible to a hearing for Parole. Said Application will be for hearing on or after January 1, 1923. D. J. BONZO, Parole and Record Clerk. 12-9, 16, 13

TIME TABLES

PENNSYLVANIA SYSTEM

Trains for Columbus and the East. 8:27 a. m., accommodation, daily except Sunday; 9:50 a. m., accommodation, Sunday only; 10:45 a. m., daily; 3:25 p. m., daily; 5:50 p. m., accommodation daily; 6:55 p. m., daily, 11 p. m., daily; 11:28 p. m., daily.

Trains from Columbus and the East. 4:15 a. m., daily; 6:45 a. m., daily; 7:20 a. m., daily; 8:15 a. m., accommodation daily; 8:30 p. m., daily; 7:00 p. m., accommodation daily; 10:25 p. m., daily.

Trains for Cincinnati and the South. 4:50 a. m., daily; 7:25 a. m., daily; 8:25 p. m., accommodation daily; 3:15 p. m., daily; 7:08 p. m., accommodation daily.

Trains from Cincinnati and the South. 8:12 a. m., accommodation only; 10:45 a. m., daily; 3:28 p. m., daily; 5:36 p. m., accommodation daily; 6:48 p. m., daily; 10:50 p. m., daily.

Trains for Dayton and the West. 6:50 a. m., St. Louis and west; 8:30 a. m., Chicago and west; 3:25 p. m., St. Louis and west; 7:10 p. m., Chicago and west; 9:50 p. m., Chicago and west; all daily trains.

Trains from Dayton and the West. 7:50 a. m., from Chicago; 3:05 p. m., from Richmond; 5:05 p. m., from Dayton; 5:45 p. m., from Chicago; 11:20 p. m., from St. Louis. All daily trains.

11:15 a. m., and 6:27 p. m., west, stop at Xenia to discharge passengers from points west of Richmond, daily.

Trains to Springfield. 8:10 a. m., and 7:05 p. m., daily.

Trains from Springfield. 8:20 a. m., and 9:40 p. m., daily.

BALTIMORE & OHIO

East Bound--7:32 a. m., for Jamestown, Washington, C. H., and Chillicothe. West Bound--4:45 p. m., for Dayton.

TRACTION LINES.

To Dayton. Cars run every hour through the week from 6 o'clock in the morning until 10 p. m. Cars run until 11 o'clock on Saturday. On Sunday cars run every hour except that the first car is at 7 a. m. instead of 6 a. m.

To Springfield. Week Days--5, 6, 7, 8, 9:30, 11, 12, 1, 2:30, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9:30, 11, 12, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9:30, 11, 12, 1, 2:30, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9:30 and 11.

BUSINESS NOTICE

Regular meeting of Aldora Chapter O. E. S., Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 7:30 p. m. Installation of officers. Banquet at 6:00 o'clock. 12-11

Anderson's Taxi and Livery, Dayton Bus Office, Bell 540. 12-12

American Legion Auxiliary Market and aFney Sale aturday Dec. 16th Gagner's Meat Store. 12-9

Venison Dinner at Cleveland's, Tuesday, December 12th. Noon lunch from 11 to 1 o'clock and evening dinner from 5 to 7 o'clock. Price Seventy-five cents. 12-9

JEFFERSON SCHOOL MAY BE CLOSED AS TAX LEVY DEFEATED

Pupils, and teachers of the Jefferson Township Centralized School are facing a serious situation, as a result of a recount of the vote of the three mill levy for that school at the November election. The vote, that was first reported to be in the favor of the levy, has been changed, losing in the district by 12 votes.

The matter is serious, according to County Superintendent of County Schools, H. C. Aultman not only because there is not money enough to finance the schools, but will close at the end of this school year \$6,000 in debt, with no prospect of securing funds for the coming year.

In a conference with State Superintendent of Schools, Vernon L. Reigel, Superintendent Aultman, was advised by Mr. Reigel to close the school during the coming year.

"The matter is exceedingly deplorable owing to the fact that the school was considered among the best in the county, and this year has been conceded by all to be better than any previous year. This district as it now stands is paying less for teachers, drivers and for coal than any other school of its kind in the county, Mr. Aultman stated.

He cited among the promising pupils of the school, Rennie Bear, 14, who was sent by the school to the Ohio State Fair, at Columbus, as a member of the Green County Stock Judging team, and to the International Stock Show at Chicago, when he received grades higher than any member of the winning team. A number of other promising pupils of the school will be affected by the resulting action of the failure of the vote, according to Mr. Aultman.

The placement of the pupils of the high school, following the closing of the school, within the law, is at present a matter of question. At the meeting of the County Board of Education held Friday, the matter was presented to the Board, by the Jefferson Township Board, in the persons of Charles Cline, John O. Bryant, D. L. Kline, and Howard Miller, who asked that the County Board take over the school district. After consideration it was found that there is no provision in the laws of the school for so doing. The members of the County Board are A. L. Fisher, J. E. Hastings, W. B. Bryson, J. B. Rife, and S. H. Shawhan.

"At present there seems no solution to the problem, said County Superintendent Aultman, Saturday.

The school district surrounds Bowersville and includes Bowersville, Jefferson township, and adjacent territory.

The school according to Mr. Aultman will be managed the rest of the school year, the indebtedness to the fund held for that purpose. The school will be closed during 1924, no solution to funding the school having yet been presented before the Board.

SNAP SHOTS

Miss Catherine Encinas was found guilty of first degree murder for the slaying of Dr. W. G. Randall, prominent Florence (Ariz.) physician.

Drugged, bound and gagged, Miss Jennie E. Rogers, 27, who apparently had been abducted and kept captive for several days, was found in an unconscious condition on the streets of Memphis, Tenn.

Ex-Senator Newberry of Michigan announced that he and Mrs. Newberry would start on a trip around the world early in January.

Case against William Allen White, noted Emporia (Kan.) editor, charged with violating the Kansas industrial court law by displaying a placard expressing sympathy for striking shopmen last summer, was dismissed by the state.

Bandits held up and robbed mail trucks in Kansas City and St. Joseph, Mo., escaping with packages valued at \$2,500.

Harry A. Corro, insurance agent, shot and killed his wife and himself at Minneapolis.

CHURCH NOTICES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. E. Brown, acting pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:30, sermon on "A Fool's Religion." Evening service at 7: Song service and sermon "Seeking an interview with Jesus," a story. We welcome friends and strangers.

SHIPS WRECKED IN STORM

Toulon, France, Dec. 9.—Several ships were wrecked in a storm which swept the Mediterranean today.

EAST HIGH DEFEATS MERCHANTS IN WELL PLAYED PILL GAME

East High School basketball team and the Xenia Merchants treated fans to a real court game Friday night at East High gym, the colored lads winning 22 to 15, in a hotly contested contest.

The excellent defense put up by the East High tossers enabled them to carry off the victory. The pass work of both clubs was fair at times, but the Merchants' five man defense lost its effectiveness because it was played too far back instead of in the center of the floor.

The game was the first regular scheduled contest for the Merchants and considering this they played well. Routting and Douthett starred for the Merchants while Porter and B.

Ware, played best for East High. At times the contest was rough, and Hendrickson had to leave the contest with a bruised head. A good sized crowd witnessed the game. The lineup and summary:

Merchants (15) East High (22)
Douthett LF J. Porter
Baynard RF H. Taylor (c)
Hendrickson C B. Ware
Witham LG J. Smith
Pillsbury RG J. Smith

Substitutions: Merchants—Routting for Pillsbury, Pillsbury for Hendrickson; East High—D. Ware for J. Porter; Field Goals: Douthett 3, Routting 3, J. Porter 3, H. Taylor 2, B. Ware 1, Smith 1. Foul Goals: Douthett 3, Taylor 2. Referee: L. Ruchford.

MUSICIAN ON PROGRAM.

Patrons of the lecture course at Spring Valley are looking forward to probably the best number on the season's program with the appearance of Miss Emma D. Randall, reader and musician, who will appear at the town hall, Wednesday night, at eight o'clock.

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Xenia Dry Cleaning Co.

Bell 167-R-1.

Citizens 139-Black.

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PETERS BROTHERS

Closing Out Sale

Having sold a part of my farm, I will sell at public auction, on the Leonard Leach farm, 2 miles east of Jamestown on the upper Jeffersonville pike on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12

Beginning at 10:00 A. M., the following property:

15—HEAD OF CATTLE—15
15 head of fresh cows and springers.

CHRISTMAS PARCELS SHOULD BE MAILED EARLY FOR DELIVERY

On account of the fact that Christmas this year will come on Monday, bringing two "dead" days together, Christmas parcels should be mailed two or three days earlier than usual so that everywhere delivery may be finished by Saturday night, Dec. 23.

This is the injunction of Postmaster Rice.

The following schedule for Christmas mailing has been prepared:

December 14—For Pacific Coast states, Washington, Oregon, California, Utah and Nevada.

December 15—For Rocky Mountain states, Wyoming, Idaho, Montana, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico.

December 16—For Mississippi Valley states, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Florida and Mississippi.

December 18—For the New England states, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut.

December 19—For New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Alabama and Georgia.

December 20—For Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Wisconsin, Michigan, Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

December 21—Parcels for all points in Ohio.

December 22—All parcels for local delivery.

Early mailing is necessary because the number of parcels handled this winter has increased 40% over last winter and an unusually heavy Christmas business is anticipated.

Christmas comes on Monday and unless the patrons will co-operate with early mailings there is bound to be a gorge in the post office on Sunday and Monday.

The following list of "Don'ts" will, if observed, add greatly to the safety in handling and help to insure delivery in good condition:

Don't use light, flimsy twine in tying your packages.

Don't use tissue paper for wrapping. More parcels are lost from this one cause than any other. The tissue wrapper becomes torn and the address is lost or rendered illegible.

Don't use a lead pencil for addressing packages. It rubs off in the handling and the address can not be read.

Don't use light, flimsy pasteboard packages or boxes. Placed in a sack with heavier packages they are mashed and the contents lost.

Don't mail a valuable package without having it insured.

To avoid a long wait at the stamp window, anticipate your needs and purchase sufficient stamps to mail your letters and Christmas cards.

Will Play Santa To Disabled Men

The Greene County Chapter of the American Red Cross will play Santa Claus to every ex-soldier of Greene County who is at present in a hospital, according to plans being laid at the county headquarters.

Citizens of the county who are acquainted with a former soldier who is now in a hospital, either in Greene County or any other place, are asked to immediately call the Red Cross office, in the Court House, Bell phone 223 R. Citizens 127, and give the secretary the name and address. The County Chapter will send a remembrance to all they can get in touch with.

COMING EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

SATURDAY—Trinity Children's Party.

MONDAY—Phi Delta Kappa.

D. of P. Xenia, S. P. O. Wright, R. and S. M. Modern Woodmen.

S. S. League Meet.

1st M. E. Queen Esther's.

TUESDAY—Xenia I. O. O. F. Obadiah D. of A. Moose Legion.

O. E. S. WEDNESDAY—Kiwanis.

J. G. U. A. M. K. of P. L. O. O. M. Reformer W. M. S.

THURSDAY—B. P. W. Club. Am. Ins. Union. W. R. C. Red Men.

P. of N. D. of A. Joint W. C. T. U. Meet.

FRIDAY—Eagles. D. of V.

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Measures Are Taken To Stop Tardiness In Schools

Several measures are being taken in the Xenia City Schools to eliminate the habit of tardiness among the pupils, good results being obtained in the last month, according to Superintendent of City Schools, C. A. Waltz.

In October there were 139 cases of tardiness in the city schools, and in November 77. "If parents fully realized how much better the pupils' standing would be without tardiness, I am sure there would be no cases at all," stated Superintendent Waltz.

Under the efficient leadership of Principal Harper C. Pendry, the number of cases of tardiness at Central High School was reduced from 77 to 7 in the last month. Mr. Pendry has a plan where by all pupils excepting those with the most urgent reasons, are barred from the school session if they are tardy. "We feel that tardiness is an evil which must be stamped out in the Xenia City Schools," said Mr. Waltz. "Parents should understand that the sectional standing of pupils is seriously hindered by tardiness and absence. Several pupils have been put back from a high section to a low section the past month because of absence and tardiness."

month	14
No. pupils neither absent nor tardy	146
Lincoln Junior High School	
Monthly enrollment	53
Per cent of attendance	95.9
No. cases of tardiness last month	4
No. cases of tardiness last month	5
No. of pupils neither absent nor tardy	31
McKinley Grades	
Monthly enrollment	247
Per cent of attendance	96.8
No. cases of tardiness last month	10
No. cases of tardiness last month	17
No. of pupils neither absent nor tardy	184
Central Grades	
Monthly enrollment	221
Per cent of attendance	98.1
No. cases of tardiness last month	7
No. cases of tardiness last month	7
No. of pupils neither absent nor tardy	174
Lincoln Grades	
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"That doesn't seem to make her less attractive," he said, "indeed just the opposite. I think I never saw you looking better, to me."

"Thank you," I answered demurely.

I had no idea what Helen would do but I was certain she would resent the compliment Mr. Connor had paid me.

"Oh, Mr. Connor," she said in her drawing tones, the ones she used to Walter when I was about. "Do come and tell me how you like this snapshot of Walter and me? We think it quite wonderful."

Lazily he followed her to the table, where she picked up a picture and held it in her hand, while he stood beside her looking at it. Walter had stepped out, or I should have left, but I had something to tell him, so waited.

"Can't I see it too?" I asked rising to join them.

"Of course! Excuse me," Helen said with elaborate politeness. "I expect Walter told you about it."

Of course she didn't think any such thing, but I replied:

"Being told and seeing are two different things."

I held out my hand for the picture. It was really a very good likeness of both of them, taken in their bathing suits, Walter's arm thrown carelessly over her shoulder. Because it was Walter, it meant nothing. It was just the sort of thing he would do without a thought.

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blazed as I glanced at the picture then at her, and caught the gleam in her eyes.

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To Be Continued.

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"Have been troubled with weak kidneys since childhood," writes Mrs. G. Hyde Benzon, Michigan. "Now past forty and have had terrible backache and that tired out feeling, hardly able to do my work. By using Foley Kidney Pills accompanied with Foley Cathartic Tablets I soon felt like a new person." Backache, rheumatic pains, dizziness and blurred vision are symptoms of kidney trouble. Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief. Sayre & Hemphill, adv

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The following schedule for Christmas mailing has been prepared:

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December 22—All parcels for local delivery.

Early mailing is necessary because the number of parcels handled this winter has increased 40% over last winter and an unusually heavy Christmas business is anticipated. Christmas comes on Monday and unless the patrons will co-operate with early mailings there is bound to be a gorge in the post office on Sunday and Monday.

The following list of "Don't's" will, if observed, add greatly to the safety in handling and help to insure delivery in good condition:

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Don't use tissue paper for wrapping. More parcels are lost from this one cause than any other. The tissue wrapper becomes torn and the address is lost or rendered illegible.

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To avoid a long wait at the stamp window, anticipate your needs and purchase sufficient stamps to mail your letters and Christmas cards.

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The Greene County Chapter of the American Red Cross will play Santa Claus to every ex-soldier of Greene County who is at present in a hospital, according to plans being laid at the county headquarters.

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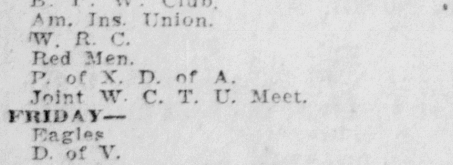
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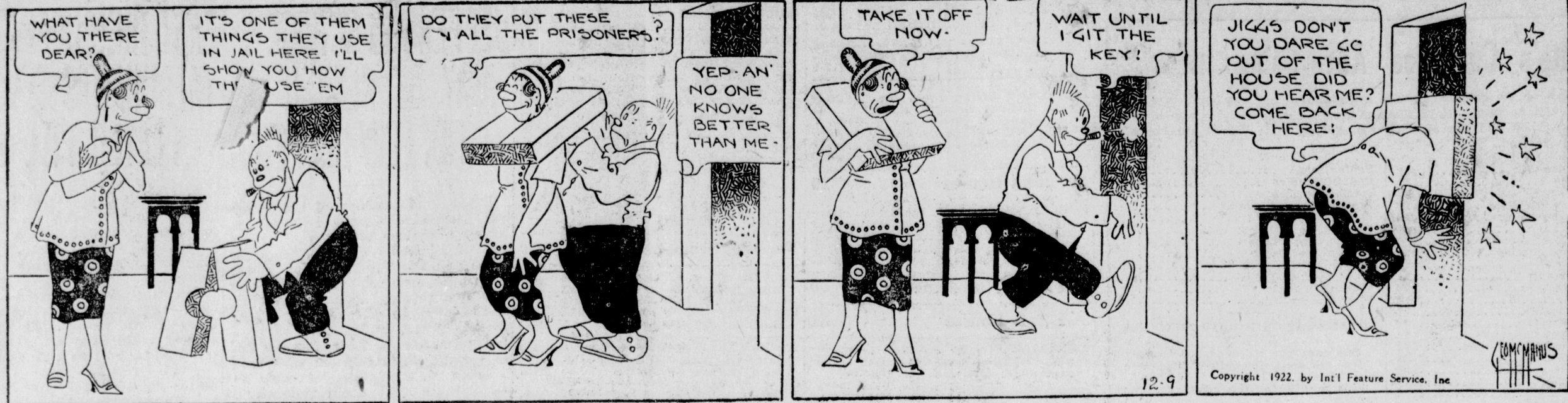
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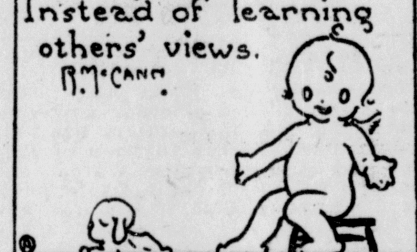
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Mrs. Page took a good deal of the care from me, so his coming really made little difference save that we had another to love.

All our friends made a great fuss over him, and I declared if they didn't stop making him gifts Walter would have to get a larger apartment.

Walter's Allegorical picture was finished and had been hung, then sold. I had my fur coat, but he didn't send Helen Ralston away as I had hoped he would. Instead he was using her as a model for another picture. We was very busy, yet always found time to play, sometimes when I was alone, sometimes without me. I thought baby's coming would perhaps make him a bit more responsible; but as far as I could see it had made no difference. He was just as care-free, just as irresponsible in certain ways as ever.

I was in the studio one day when Ralph Connor called. At once Helen

who had been rather quiet for her, brightened. Everything about her indicated a deliberate attempt to focus his attention, even while he was talking to me, praising Walter's picture. Her exquisite shoulders rose from the low cut gown she was wearing, the one Walter had ordered for the picture.

Finally Mr. Connor turned to her with a complimentary remark. She bridled with pleasure, yet said with a pout of her full lips:

"I thought you never were going to notice me. You seemed so absorbed in Mrs. Page. It isn't fair! She's married you know."

"That doesn't seem to make her less attractive," he said, "indeed just the opposite. I think I never saw you looking better," to me.

"Thank you," I answered demurely. Amused.

I had no idea what Helen would do but I was certain she would resent the compliment Mr. Connor had paid me.

"Oh, Mr. Connor," she said in her drawing tones, the ones she used to Walter when I was about. "Do come and tell me how you like this snapshot of Walter and me? We think it quite wonderful."

Lazily he followed her to the table, where she picked up a picture and held it in her hand, while he stood beside her looking at it. Walter had stepped out, or I should have left, but I had something to tell him, so waited.

"Can't I see it too?" I asked rising to join them.

"Of course! Excuse me," Helen said with elaborate politeness. "I expect Walter told you about it."

Of course she didn't think any such thing, but I replied:

"Being told and seeing are two different things."

I held out my hand for the picture. It was really a very good likeness of both of them, taken in their bathing suits, Walter's arm thrown carelessly over her shoulder. Because it was Walter, it meant nothing. It was just the sort of thing he would do without a thought.

But her showing it to Ralph Connor when I was there, was almost an insult felt, and my cheeks fairly

blazed as I glanced at the picture then at her, and caught the gleam in her eyes.

"It is a very good likeness of both of you," I said calmly putting it on the table. "I am sure you thought so, Mr. Connor?"

"Very good indeed," he said dryly. "But a bit unusual."

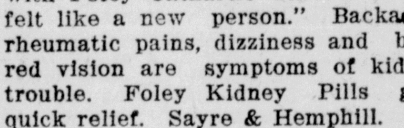
"That's what makes it attractive," Helen replied just as Walter appeared.

He flushed crimson when he saw me again take the picture, muttered something about thinking he had destroyed the "blamed thing."

To Be Continued.

TROUBLED WITH WEAK KIDNEYS

"Have been troubled with weak kidneys since childhood," writes Mrs. G. Hyde Benzon, Michigan. "Now past forty and have had terrible backache and that tired feeling, hardly able to do my work. By using Foley Kidney Pills accompanied with Foley Cathartic Tablets I soon felt like a new person." Backache, rheumatic pains, dizziness and blurred vision are symptoms of kidney trouble. Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief. Sayre & Hemphill, adv.



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RATES OF TAXATION 1922

In pursuance of law, I, Carrie R. Faulkner, Treasurer of Greene County, Ohio, do hereby give notice that the number of Mills levied on each dollar of property listed for taxation in said County for the Tax Year 1922, is as follows:

For State Purposes—Educational Building Fund, .125 Mills; Institutional Building Fund, .25 Mills; Educational Equalization Fund, .15 Mills; State Highway Improvement Fund, .50 Mills; World War Compensation Fund, .50 Mills; Total State Levy 1.525 Mills.

For County Purposes—County Fund, 1.026 Mills; Poor Fund, .20 Mills; Children's Home Fund, .23 Mills; Bridge Fund, .10 Mills; Soldiers Relief Fund, .02 Mills; Blind Relief Fund, .09 Mills; Mothers Pension Fund, .09 Mills; Election Fund, .10 Mills; Judicial Fund, .12 Mills; Tuberculosis Hospital Fund, .08 Mills; Ditch Fund, .01 Mill; Agricultural Society Fund, .03 Mills; Library Fund, .04 Mills; Interest and Sinking Fund, 1.585 Mills; Road Fund, 2.30 Mills; Total County Levy, 6.925 Mills.

General County School Levy—2.65 Mills.
For Local Purposes—See Table Below:

TOWNSHIPS, SCHOOL DISTRICTS, MUNICIPALITIES.	TOWNSHIP PURPOSES										MUNICIPAL PURPOSES										Total Municipal	Total Rate
	State Levy	County Levy	School Levy	Interest Sink	General	Health	Twp. House	Poor	Road	Cemetery	Library	Post	Hawk	General	Service	Safety	Int. and Sink	Light	Poor	Library		
Bath Township	1.525	6.025	6.65		50	04		01	2.00	25												17.00
Osborn S. D.	1.525	6.025	9.65		50	04		01	2.00	25												20.00
Xenia Township, S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65		50	04		01	2.00	25												17.00
Fairfield Village	1.525	6.025	6.65		50	04		01	2.00	25												17.00
Osborn Village	1.525	6.025	9.65		50	04		01	2.00	25												20.00
Beavercreek Township	1.525	6.025	7.05		50	04		01	2.00	25												16.60
Xenia Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65		50	04		01	2.00	25												17.00
Beavercreek Township	1.525	6.025	6.65		120	04		20	1.50	08												17.20
Jefferson Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	7.25		120	04		20	1.50	06												17.80
New Jasper Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65		120	04		20	1.50	06												17.20
Liberty Twp. Clinton Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65		120	04		20	1.50	06												17.20
Pleasant, Clinton Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	10.65		120	04		20	1.50	06												21.20
Cedarville Township	1.525	6.025	7.75	80	44	04		20	1.40	02												18.50
New Jasper Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	80	44	04		20	1.40	02												17.40
Xenia Township	1.525	6.025	6.65	80	44	04		20	1.40	02												17.40
Seima Special, Clark Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	80	44	04		20	1.40	02												17.40
Miami Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.75	80	44	04		20	1.40	02												17.43
Cedarville Village	1.525	6.025	6.75	80	44	04		20	1.40	02												17.50
Jefferson Township	1.525	6.025	7.75	120	26	04		10	1.40	50												18.70
Jefferson Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	5.65	120	26	04		10	1.40	50												17.10
Liberty Twp. Clinton Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	9.65	120	26	04		10	1.40	50												21.10
Jasper Twp. Fayette Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.00	120	26	04		10	1.40	50												17.65
Bowling Green Village	1.525	6.025	7.25											60	2.00	16						17.60
Miami Township	1.525	6.025	6.75		50	04		06	1.80	10												16.60
Clifton, S. D.	1.525	6.025	9.55		50	04		06	1.60	10												19.40
Yellow Springs S. D.	1.525	6.025	9.15		50	04		06	1.80	10												19.40
Clifton Village	1.525	6.025	7.75		50	04		06	1.60	10												17.60
Xenia Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65		50	04		06	1.80	10												16.60
Clifton Village	1.525	6.025	9.55											36	2.30	20						19.90
Yellow Springs Village	1.525	6.025	9.15											35	1.35	20	04					21.30
New Jasper Township	1.525	6.025	6.65		75	04		15	1.50	36												16.70
Silvercreek Twp. S. D.	1.525	6.025	5.65		75	04		15	1.50	06												15.70
Xenia Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65		75	04		15	1.50	06												16.70
Ross Township	1.525	6.025	15.15	45																		21.40
Cedarville Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	7.75	145					05	1.25	28											19.00
Seima Special, Clark Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.68	145					05	1.25	28											17.93
New Jasper Township, S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	145					04	1.25	28											17.70
Silvercreek Township	1.525	6.025	6.65	145					04	1.25	28											16.80
Jefferson S. D.	1.525	6.025	7.15	175	46	04		04	1.15	16												18.30
New Jasper Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	175	46	04		04	1.15	16												17.80
Jefferson Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	7.25	175	46	04		04	1.15	16												18.30
Jefferson Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	7.15	175	46	04		04	1.15	16												18.30
Jefferson Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	35										61	1.50	44	1.80					14.45
Jefferson Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	35																		16.50
Xenia Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	35																		16.50
Sugarcreek Twp. S. D.	1.525	6.025	9.15		20	04																19.20
Wayne Twp. Warren Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65		20	04																16.50
Spring Valley Village	1.525	6.025	6.65		20	04																16.50
Sugarcreek Township	1.525	6.025	6.65		56	04	05		1.80					30	2.46	30						17.30
Wayne Township, Warren Co. S. D.	1.525	6.025	9.35		56	04	05		1.80													19.30
Bellevue Village	1.525	6.025	9.15		56	04	05		1.80													19.50
Xenia Township	1.525	6.025	6.65	065	10	04			66	1.975	06											21.00
Xenia City, S. D.	1.525	6.025	13.45	065	10	04			66	1.975	06											22.20
New Jasper Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	065	10	04			66	1.975	06											21.80
Jefferson Township S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.65	065	10	04			66	1.975	06											16.90
Spring Valley Twp. S. D.	1.525	6.025	6.00	065	10	04			66	1.975	06											16.50
Xenia City	1.525	6.025	13.35	065	10	04			66	1.975	06											22.80

SOFT JOBS

HERE'S something that you probably have thought about many a time. William Meath, of the Canadian government employment service, says he has plenty of jobs waiting for men to fill them, but most of the applicants are unwilling to tackle really hard manual labor. Even able-bodied unmarried men shake their heads at offers of employment on harbor work and in the logging crews.

In varying degrees we have the same situation on our side of the border. There seems to be something about our civilization that tends to soften men and make them averse to "heavy work."

Maybe it's because we are getting accustomed to having machines do the more difficult jobs that formerly had to be handled by muscle and grit.

Maybe, too, we've gotten in the habit of passing the heaviest work to the immigrants who for years flowed to our shores.

Tony and Ivan fitted in naturally as ditch diggers and railroad section hands. The native-born American decided that it was "out of my line," and looked about for a white-collar job.

There is a growing national tendency to "pass the buck" when it comes to hard work.

Farmers can make interesting comparisons of the work they get out of a hired hand, today compared with years ago.

Hard work never killed any one, as the old saying goes, but a lot of folks seem to have their doubts.

PROMINENT PEOPLE

JANE ADDAMS

Sir Phillip Gibbs once introduced Jane Addams to a London audience as the "greatest-hearted woman in the world."

The English press referred to her as "the foremost woman internationalist."

It was as Jane Addams "of Hull House," that she was best known to Americans.

Jane Addams was born at Cedarville, Ill., Sept. 6, 1860.

Graduated from Rockford College, she first spent two years in Europe; then a year at the Women's Medical College in Philadelphia.

Before she had finished her medical course she resolved to devote her life to social service.

With Miss Ellen Gates Starr she opened Hull House as a social settlement center in Chicago, in 1889. The original owner of the building was Charles J. Hull; hence the name.

Hull House Activities.

Hull House activities were purely social at first, but soon their scope broadened. Miss Addams never had much sympathy with theories. Concrete results were what she wanted.

One thing led on to another.

At the outset Miss Addams undertook to educate the poor of the district in which she lived in the use of their small incomes to the best advantage.

Aiding them to improve themselves was the next step.

This called for betterment of their working conditions. It was a campaign which impressed upon her the necessity of protection for women and children in industry.

Factory laws, she saw, were required.

Her Work World-Wide.

Politics stood in the way of reform, so she took a hand in politics first Chicago city politics, then the politics of the state of Illinois, then country wide politics.

By this time Miss Addams was a national character.

In 1912 she took a prominent part in the activities of the Progressive party.

She was president of the National Conference of charities and corrections.

She had great influence and she exercised it all for good.

With the outbreak of the World War she lent her aid to the international movement of women in the interests of pacification. This brought criticism upon her from some quarters but it was not unkindly in tone—nobody questioned but that her intentions were of the best—it was simply that her critics

felt the end she sought was, for the time, unattainable.

Drew No Lines.

Following the signing of the armistice, she toured Europe on a Mission of mercy to the war stricken people. She drew no national lines. Her view of the situation was epitomized in her comment concerning the almost hopeless condition of the inhabitants of Russia.



"We may be anti-Bolshevist as we like," she said, "but we cannot be anti-human."

She was president, from the date of its formation in 1915, of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, and toiled in its behalf indefatigably.

She was perhaps the most remarkable woman of her time and it would be difficult to find her equal in accomplishment in the direction of practical world philanthropy.



The latest boy wonder is "How long before Christmas?"

All of us take our hats off to winter—and get new ones.

It is better to be lonely than bored.

Princeton won the football championship of the east. It is not true that Jack Dempsey wants to play them.

NOW COMES THE ANNUAL TOUCH



Life Lines

BY HMC

THE world knows, of course, that the barnyard can't speak. At least, not so we'll understand. But, what do you say, that we translate the squeak that they chatter in animal land.

Ah! I am in luck—that's the chat of the duck. And ne'er have I eaten so much. The treatment of late, that I've had has been great. Was I slighted? Far be it from such!

I've wallowed around in cornmeal and the like. They'd toss out the grub and I'd kill it. But, say, does it pay? No! On Thanksgiving Day, I'll be wallowing 'round in a skillet.

I've feasted and fed and it ne'er can be said that my owners have held back on grub. They've watched me grow fat. Now I realize that I've been playing the part of the dub.

For, only today, just a few feet away, my owners are sharpening knives. So I've feasted, you see, so their feast upon me, could be the real feast of their lives.

What wonderful pickin'—so sayeth the chicken, as scraps come a-flying his way. They've fed me on corn since the day I was born, but look what I'm getting today.

Good bits from the table. I'll eat while I'm able. For when you come right down to facts. The things I get now seem to tell me, somehow, that the next thing I'll get is the ax.

My walk's getting jerky—this comes from the turkey, who struts with a step that is proud. They won't let me stop till I've filled up my crop. No limit to food I'm allowed.

I stuff and I stuff and eat more than enough. But, shucks, as old Barnum once said. There's really naught in it; one's born every minute, and shortly they'll stuff me with bread.

NUGGETS OF KNOWLEDGE

When a man sets out to make a fool of himself he always finds someone eager to help.

Some people are down on prohibition because it makes it harder to get a drink.

The weather forecaster always has plenty of competition.

A turkey in the pan is worth two in the coop.

The only way a hen-pecked man can chew tobacco is by ending he is smoking a cigar.

Easy-going men seldom go very far.

The man who wears a silk hat usually talks through his hat.

The man who loses his heart to a girl loses his head also.

HEART AND HOME PROBLEMS

BY MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a man thirty-seven years old. My wife has been dead two years and I have one little boy seven years old. When I became old enough to think of love and marriage I had an ideal and I kept myself pure as I expected her to be. I was twenty-seven when I met her. She was nine years younger and no story book ever pictured a more beautiful girl.

We loved each other from the first night we met and in a little over a year we were married. She proved to be an ideal wife, too, always keeping herself looking just like she did when we were sweethearts. When I came home from my work I had a royal welcome awaiting me and a meal cooked fit for a king. Then when we were home alone evenings she would play the piano and in her rich alto voice would sing until she would transform this old world into a paradise.

After we were married our little boy was born and our lives seemed complete for five happy years. Then all of a sudden she was stricken down. All the best medical aid was of no avail and in a few short days she left my little boy and me alone.

We had no relations we could live with and so I hired a housekeeper, a lady who is very kind to us both. After the day's work is over and I have put my little boy to bed my heart cries out in loneliness until I almost go wild.

After loving like we did would you advise me to try to find another wife? Could I love another girl enough to make us both happy? Would it be wise to marry a girl as young as twenty? I am a highly respected Christian man and have no bad habits. I have a good business and like my work. Will you please tell me what would be best for me to do? I shudder when I think of getting some one who would not treat my boy right.

RAY.

How happy your wife would feel if she could read your letter. It is a tribute more beautiful than any

monument. Even your desire to marry again is the outgrowth of the happiness you have known with her.

No, I would not advise you to marry again as long as there is a doubt in your mind. Nature may will it that you will meet another woman who is the right one for you. If such be the case, you will have no doubt.

Of course you are lonely. Have you thought that she may be lonely, too and yearn for your coming to her? Such a thought is not unreasonable. When you are in doubt try to imagine what she would advise you. In this way you will find that what you do almost always, if not always, works out right and for good.

You might be happy married to another woman, and again you might not. So much would depend upon your choice of the woman.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: What is your opinion of a girl who indulges in love-making when she is not engaged? It seems necessary to do so if you want to keep a fellow, but surely a fellow does not care for a girl if he quits her just because she objects to this mockery. What is your opinion of a fellow who does this? Would you advise a girl to be more liberal or to stay "old fashioned"? ADELINE.

A girl should be true to herself and trust in the outcome of things. What if she never marries? Isn't it better for her to do what she feels is right than to cheapen her soul in order to get a man? Fortunately she need not cheapen her soul. There are many men who love girls for their freshness (by freshness I mean untouched and not in the slang sense of bold). A man who kisses promiscuously has a common nature. He cheapens himself, too. It is no more right that a girl should save her kisses for the man she loves than that the man should reserve his love-making for the woman he loves.

LIGHT AND AIRY

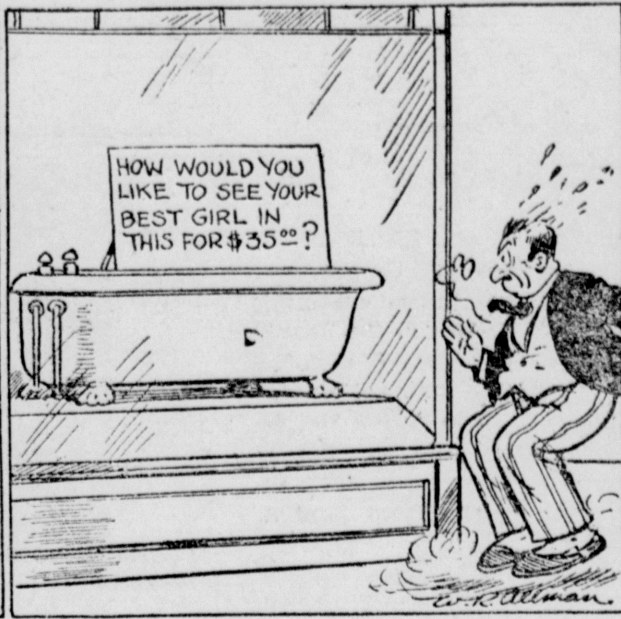
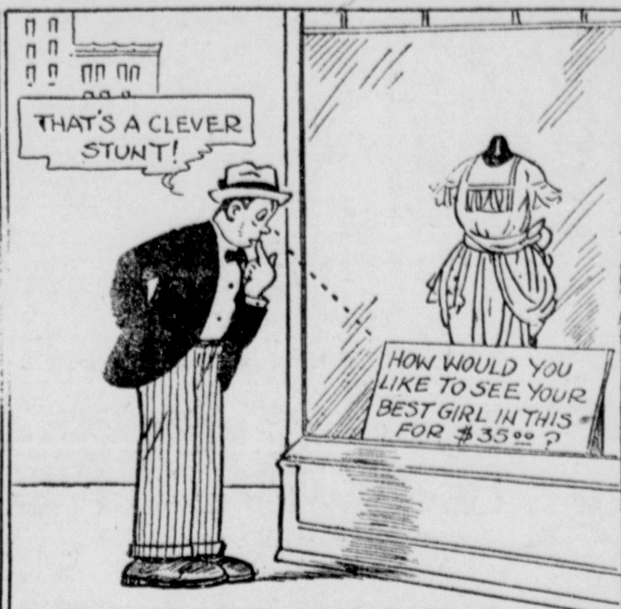
ODE TO THE BARMAID.

Oh, thou are gone! alas! alas! the Fate That leads thee ever from us far away. Sometimes we sit and of thee think, and wonder. Whene'er it is thou art and if thy thoughts Do ever seek to find us e'er they roam. Our lives have grown so weary, dull and listless Ever since thou left us as the dew denied To thirsty drooping flowers at the dawn. And over joy-polluting gingersales We summon up the ghosts of other days, And vainly seek our spirits to content With soothing memories; but we are sick At heart; alas! so sick we sadly turn away From this unhappy scene that tries and tries, But all in vain, to make us feel gay.

—Frank P. Callahan.

"Policeman Stops Runaway House," says a headline. Some families always move hurriedly that way.

John D., Jr., paid \$100 for a 41-cent lunch. We haven't done that since before the war.



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THE HENERY HOOZITS

